

## NEW TOWN SECRETARY

Fred Evans, son of Dr. and Mrs. W.G. Evans, who has recently been discharged from the RCAF, was appointed Tuesday night as the new Sec-Treas. of the Town of Didsbury and will commence his duties November 1st.

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## ONE CENT SALE THIS WEEK OCTOBER 3, 4, 5, 6

HERE ARE A FEW OF THE SALE ITEMS:

\$1.00 Puretest Halibut Capsules, .....	2 for \$1.01
25c Meloids .....	2 for 26c
\$1.00 Bottle Tasteless Ext. Cod Liver Compound, .....	2 for \$1.01
\$2.25 Box Puretest Vitamin B. Complex Tablets, .....	2 for \$2.26
\$1.10 Box Multiple Vitamin Capsules, .....	2 for \$1.11
\$1.85 Box Multiple Vitamin Capsules, .....	2 for \$1.86
50c Box Rexall Kidney and Bladder Pills, .....	2 for 51c
15c Writing Pads, .....	2 for 16c
30c Writing Pads .....	2 for 31c
10c Envelopes, .....	2 for 11c
15c Envelopes, .....	2 for 16c
40c Rexall Shave Cream .....	2 for 11c
French Balm Hand Lotion .....	2 for 61c
60c Gardemia Skin Softener .....	2 for 61c
40c Talcums, .....	2 for 11c
87c Mi 31 Antiseptic .....	2 for 88c
50c Nose Drops (without oil) .....	2 for 51c

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1, 2 and 5  
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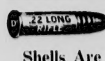


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We will try and give you new news!

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- FOR SALE—PORTABLE TYPEWRITER.
- CHEAP WALL BOARD—  
(Because of shortage of better)  
Per 1,000 Square feet ..... **29.00**

### AT THE RED & WHITE STORE —

- GREEN TOMATOES, 15-lb. lots, per lb. **5c**
- MCINTOSH APPLES NOW ARRIVING.

**K. A. CASSIDY - DIDSBURY**

## SAM LEE, FORMER DIDSBURY CAFE OWNER, HAS FIRE LOSS

Sam Lee Sr., former operator of the American Cafe at Didsbury, and who has been operating a cafe in Hanna known as the Liberty Cafe, had the misfortune of losing his property by fire on Monday, September 24th. The building and fixtures were a total loss and all that remained was the brick walls.

## WELCOME HOME PARTY FOR RETURNING VETERANS

To Be Held in Legion Hall  
On Thursday, October 5th

The Welcome Home Committee of the Didsbury Citizens Rehabilitation Committee has decided to hold its first welcome home party for returning men and women of the armed forces, in the Legion Hall, Didsbury, on Friday, October 5th at 8:30 p.m., and all plans are now complete for the opening entertainment.

The program will consist of cards for those who wish to play, dancing, musical numbers, etc., and an open invitation is extended to all returned men and women, and the lady or gentleman friend, to attend this gathering.

## MRS. PAUL RESCHKE BURIED MONDAY AT E.V. CHURCH

Mrs. Paul (Martha) Reschke, 56, of Didsbury, died at the Holy Cross hospital, Calgary on September 28, having been a patient in that institution for the previous eight days for medical treatment.

Born in Posen, Poland, Mrs. Reschke had lived in the Didsbury district for the past 25 years.

She is survived by her husband, Funeral services were conducted from the Evangelical church, Didsbury, at 2 p.m. Monday, October 1, with Rev. A.M. Anacker officiating. Burial followed in the Didsbury cemetery with Didsbury Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

## MRS. E. P. BRINTON GETS LETTER OF THANKS

About two and a half years ago Mrs. E.P. Brinton sent a dress to be given to a little girl in England, and in a letter dated July 31, 1945, from Sylvia Hann, 114 Wormholt Rd., Shepherd's Bush, London, Eng. she sends the following note of thanks:

Dear Mrs. Brinton: I am just writing a short letter to let you know I was the lucky girl to get the dress you made. I am very pleased with it. You made it very nice and very pretty.

I am twelve years old and the dress fitted me lovely. We were blasted out by a rocket.

I wish to thank you very much indeed for the dress. Yours truly, Sylvia Hann, xxxxx.

The dress Mrs. Brinton made was sent with Red Cross clothing parcels and it is gratifying to know that the work of the various lady Red Cross work committees is appreciated by the persons receiving the clothing.

## MRS. H.J. HARDER DIES AT KITCHENER, ONTARIO

Bernice May (Devitt) Harder, daughter of the late J.K. and Suzanna Devitt, who was born May 23, 1883 at Kitchener, Ont., died September 17th, 1945, at Kitchener.

She leaves to mourn her loss, her husband, H.J. Harder; three sisters, Alice, Mrs. Henry Gremm, Calgary, Alta.; Elsie, Mrs. Wm. Yantz, Waterloo, Ont.; Lena, Mrs. E.C. Dreyfus of Detroit, Mich. One brother, Royden, of Windsor, Ont.

She was a faithful and consistent member of the Mennonite Church from girlhood and was actively engaged in missionary and benevolent work of the church.

From 1907 to 1917 she attended Toronto Bible College and helped to start a mission in Toronto. From 1911 to 1917 she was at Youngstown, Ohio, helping to start a mission at that point. 1917 to 1918 she was superintendent and matron of a children's home in Kansas City.

From 1920 to 1945 she was with her husband, who was minister of the West Zion congregation near Didsbury, Alta. Her parents moved from Kitchener, Ont., to a farm east of Didsbury and were among the early settlers. Later they moved to Didsbury and had their home with their daughter, Bernice, and Mr. Harder.

Mrs. Harder helped with Sewing Circle, Summer Bible School and winter Bible School work as long as her health would permit. "Others" seems to have been her motto in life.

## DR. HAROLD REIBER DOES RESEARCH ON THE ATOMIC BOMB

Is Son of Mr. and Mrs.  
H. M. Reiber, Didsbury

Mr. H.M. Reiber has received a recent letter from his son, Dr. Harold C. Reiber, in which he states that he is now permitted to say that for more than two years he has been engaged in research work on the production of the atomic bomb. Earlier letters indicated that during this time he was working at the University of California at Berkeley as well as at Oak Ridge, Tennessee.

Dr. Reiber received his High School education at Didsbury and Calgary. He graduated from the University of Alberta with a B.Sc. in 1927 and First Class Honors in Chemistry. In 1930 he obtained his M.Sc. from the same university, and in 1933 his Ph.D. in Chemistry from the University of California. From 1933 to 1937 he was Research Chemist with the Union Oil Co. at Los Angeles. Since 1937 he has been on the faculty of the Chemistry Division of the University of California at Davis, and returned to that position in July of this year.

His wife is the former Norma Holman of Didsbury. In December 1943 Dr. and Mrs. Harold Reiber and family visited relatives and friends in Didsbury and Calgary and they plan to again visit Canada next summer.

## BURNSIDE NEWS NOTES

Squadron Leader Lewis Spragg, D.S.M., of the RCAF arrived home last Monday after five years service overseas. He left here a Sergeant, was raised to the rank of a Squadron Leader, and was decorated by the King at Buckingham Palace. Lewis is a Burnside born boy, went to public school here and graduated from high school at Hyth, Alberta. On receiving his discharge he intends to continue his studies at the University. His bride and baby son will arrive in Canada at a later date. Congratulations and welcome home, Lewis. Burnside is proud of you.

It seems as if all our Burnside boys are home again with the exception of Pte Dick Page who, when last heard from was still with art army transport in Germany, and all are looking well and none the worse for their adventure. However, there are two boys who will not return, but with the rising and setting of the sun we will remember them.

Squad. Leader Lewis Spragg intends to take a trip to Victoria, B.C. to visit with Mr. Gooder, late editor of the Pioneer, who is a lifelong friend and former neighbor of his family.

## CLOTHING COLLECTION DEPOT AT ROSEBUD HOTEL

The National Clothing Collection Depot for Didsbury is at the back of the Rosebud Hotel, a room kindly donated by the manager, Mr. Sam Krueger. All those having clothing to donate are asked to bring their parcels to the rear of the Hotel as soon as possible.

Arrangements have been made to keep the collection room open on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of each week for the next three weeks, from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m., and the following is a list of the lady attendant and the day in which she will take charge:

Thurs., Oct. 4—Mrs. McCloy.  
Fri., Oct. 5—Mrs. Grange.  
Sat., Oct. 6—Mrs. M. Hanson.  
Thurs., Oct. 11—Mrs. Bowman.  
Fri., Oct. 12—Mrs. Andrews.  
Sat., Oct. 13—Mrs. Reiffenstein.  
Thurs., Oct. 18—Mrs. Ranton.  
Fri., Oct. 19—Mrs. Alfke.  
Sat., Oct. 20—Mrs. Eckel.

Should any of the ladies not be able to attend to their appointed duty on the above date, they are asked to get someone to substitute for them.

## DIDSBURY MARKETS

EGGS	
Grade A Large .....	35c
Grade A Medium .....	33c
Grade A Pullet .....	27c
Grade B .....	23c
Grade C .....	17c

BUTTERFAT	
Delivered Basis at Crystal Dairy Special .....	33c
No. 1 .....	31c
No. 2 .....	26c
Table Cream .....	43c
10c subsidy on all churning cream.	

## DOUG WORDIE GETS \$50 SCHOLARSHIP AT U. OF A.

Douglas Wordie, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Wordie of Didsbury has won a \$50 scholarship at the University of Alberta. Douglas left last week to continue his studies at the University at Edmonton and he would like to thank Rev. D. Whyte Smith, Dr. J. Lester Clarke, and Tom Morris for their kind permission in giving their names as references.

## GATHERING IN HONOR OF MISS VIOLA BAYLEY

Last Thursday afternoon a number of friends and members of the W.M.S. of the Didsbury M.B.C. Church met in the students' lounge of the M.V. Bible School in honor of Miss Viola Bayley, outgoing missionary to Nigeria, W. Africa. A short missionary program was held during which Mrs. Ozra Traub, Mrs. Flo. Dickson and Mrs. Florence Finlay, all returned missionaries from West Africa, gave short talks. Miss Dickson also favored the gathering with several violin numbers, while these missionaries joined her in singing in the Uragu language. On behalf of the friends gathered Mrs. Orval Shantz presented Miss Bayley with a suitcase filled with many useful gifts, after which a very dainty lunch was served by the hostess, Mrs. C.J. Hallman.

## RETURNING VETERANS JOB SURVEY TO PROVIDE NECESSARY INFORMATION

A.E. Ford and his Job Survey Committee of the Citizens' Rehabilitation Committee, comprising A. L. Hogg, Reid Clarke, Jas. McCulloch, K.A. Cassidy and Jas. Caithness, have prepared a questionnaire asking for information from all employers of town and district, and this is now being sent out.

All who receive this questionnaire are asked to fill in the answers immediately and return it to Mr. Ford so that his committee will know where jobs are available for returning men and women, as well as other information which will be necessary if employees are to be placed in available jobs.

## NOTES FROM THE WEST

The Elton Willing Workers met at the home of D. Evans on Thursday last to quilt on a bedspread and this will be finished at the next meeting at the home of Mrs. B. Smith on Friday, October 10th. It was suggested that we purchase the Christmas parcels for the boys still overseas this year instead of packing them.

Mrs. B. Smith and Mr. C. Brown Sr. visited with the Hosogoods on Sunday.

The Rugby teacher, Mr. Shain, arrived on Saturday.

## REHABILITATION COMMITTEE MET ON THURSDAY EVENING

Chairmen of Various  
Committees Give Reports

A meeting of the various committees of the Didsbury Rehabilitation Committee was held in the Lions Hall on Thursday evening last with a good attendance, and after the secretary, Mrs. C. Mortimer, read the minutes of the previous meeting, W.A. Austin, chairman of the organization, read correspondence from the provincial and Dominion headquarters and outlined some of the problems of the returning veterans.

Conveners of the various committees reported on the progress made since the last meeting. C.E. Reiber, convener of the Veterans Land and Advisory Committee reported that veterans had made contact with him and while difficulties had arisen, it was hoped that these could be ironed out and veterans placed on the land they had chosen.

H.M. Bowman reported on housing facilities and stated that this was a serious problem in Didsbury at the present time, and while difficulties had arisen, it was hoped that these could be ironed out and veterans placed on the land they had chosen.

Mrs. Reiffenstein reported for the Registration and Publicity committee and advised that a list of the returned men and women of Didsbury and district had been compiled and while not complete, it was disclosed that there had been 257 men and women from this district in the armed forces.

Miss Margaret Hanson reported for the Welcome Home committee and told the meeting that plans were made to hold a series of welcome home parties the first to take place in the near future. Plans were later completed for the first entertainment to be held October 5th.

Ed Ford stated that his Job Survey committee had been active and were sending out a questionnaire to all employers in town and district in an endeavor to find out what jobs were available.

After these committee chairmen had reported it was decided to hold another meeting in the hall on Thursday, October 25th.

## CASSIDY LUMBER YARD TO ERECT NEW BUILDING

Changes have been taking place at the Cassidy Lumber Yard property the past week. The office has been moved west on the property and the work shop has been moved off, in preparation for the erection of a modern stucco building on the front of the lots. Mr. Cassidy has recently taken over the John Deere Implement Agency and plans to conduct this business in his new building.

## FURNITURE SPECIALS

One Only—Second Hand Chesterfield Suite—  
Rebuilt and in good condition ..... **69.50**

Unfinished Chest of Drawers—Modern design  
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Special at ..... **11.95**

Unfinished Dresser, three drawers with mirror,  
Regular 25.75, Special at ..... **17.50**

Combination Clothes Hamper and Seat—Just  
the thing for Bathroom or Bedroom.  
Regular \$7.95, Special ..... **5.50**

Dinette Buffet, small size, finished natural with  
red trim, Reg. 21.50, Special ..... **14.95**


Army Bunks, double deckers, complete with  
new mattresses, While they last .... **17.95**

## NEW ARRIVALS

We have just received a shipment of better  
quality Chesterfield Suites and Lounge Suites.  
Also Chrome Kitchen Suites. Call in and see these.

## BUILDERS' HARDWARE STORES LTD.

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## Need For Permanent Peace

WE HAVE NOW ENTERED what has long been referred to as "the post-war period", and there has been a great deal of speculation as to what would take place in the years following the declarations of peace. Some have feared mass unemployment, business depression and similar disasters. Others have anticipated a new era in which the scientific, mechanical and medical discoveries made during the war would revolutionize our daily lives. Whatever may be the result, the war would revolutionize our daily lives, the one great hope has been shared by freedom-loving people everywhere that some day might be found to make this peace a permanent one. When the atomic bomb was introduced into warfare, during the last days of Japanese resistance, this hope increased many fold, as it became apparent what the use of this weapon in any future war would mean to the entire civilized world.

### Cannot Remain A Secret Long

At present the secret of this weapon rests with Britain and the United States, but it cannot be expected to remain a secret for any great length of time. Mr. Churchill has predicted that other nations will have it within a period of five years. It is known that Germany had very nearly come upon a means of splitting the atom at the time of her collapse, and there is no reason to believe that other scientists may not be successful in such a discovery at any time. It is also possible that at some time, a substance more accessible and more plentiful than uranium might be found for this purpose. Although there appears to be many possibilities for the use of this great discovery for the benefit of mankind in time of peace, its threat as a weapon of war cannot for a moment be forgotten, and it makes more urgent than ever, the need for some means of keeping the world at peace.

### May Be Used To Preserve Peace

Whether the atomic bomb is to be a weapon of peace, or whether it is to be used for warfare of unprecedented horror, remains to be seen. The two which were dropped on Japan were the means of ending a war which otherwise would have lasted for months, or perhaps years, and would have cost many times the lives destroyed by these two bombs. The dropping of these bombs, however, may in the future be looked upon as a turning point in history. General Douglas MacArthur in his speech on the occasion of the signing of the Japanese surrender expressed the thought that if we are to survive it will be necessary for the spirit to preserve the peace. Certainly it is more urgent now than ever before that at least the majority of nations find a way of working together in mutual trust and co-operation and of preventing the occurrence of another war, whose horrors cannot easily be imagined.

### Free Speech

#### Proven To Be An Effective Way Of Preserving Liberty

One feature of Britain's general election which has not been much noticed holds, it seems to us, a lesson for most countries. The lesson of the value of free speech. For as long as we can remember Hyde Park and Trafalgar Square have been synonymous with free speech. There, at any time and under all circumstances, any man whether he was an atheist, agnostic, Communist, nihilist, or anarchist, or whether he preached the end of the world or the second coming, could create to his heart's content. Speech was as free as air.

The Communists took full advantage of this. They spoke unendingly at Hyde Park and Trafalgar Square, spoke at almost every street corner in every British city, went up and down the land with their orations, and their pamphlets, published their own newspaper, got the use of the radio, put up candidates for Parliament.

With what result? On July 25 the British Communist party elected two candidates. Two, two in a Parliament of 645 members.

What this proves, it seems to us, is that the best way to kill a false or foolish idea is to subject it to the light, to let its prophets talk—to subject their prophecies to competition in the free markets of ideas.

That has been and is the British idea, and we think it sensible. It is not merely more in keeping with the true spirit of liberty; it is the more effective way of preserving liberty.

Canada, where devotion to free speech is too often more theoretic than real, might think the matter over—Ottawa Journal.

### GET LESS LIGHT

Part of the visual deficiency of older persons is due to the fact that the pupils of a 50-year-old person admit only slightly more than half as much light as those of a 20-year-old.



**CHAMP**

THE MAGICAL CLEANER

IT SOFTENS THE HARDEST WATER

FOR WASHING, DRESSING, PAINTS, FURNITURE, WOODWORK, POTTS AND PANS

## Price Control And Rationing Information

Q—My husband has just been discharged from the army. When he received his ration book, there were several coupons removed from it. Are the clerks in the ration office allowed to do this?

A—Yes. The clerks are instructed to remove the coupons when the ration books issued at the present time contain only coupons from the date of application. It is taken for granted that a person does not require ration coupons until he applies for his ration book. Before your husband arrived home he was receiving his rations from army stores and did not require civilian rations.

Q—Where do I make application for a new truck?

A—Persons desiring new trucks must make their application through the nearest Wartime Prices and Trade Board Office.

Q—Have you any leaflet which gives suggestions on how to conserve meat?

A—Any homemaker who wishes to receive "The Meat Folder", which gives suggestions for making the most of the meat ration, may secure one by writing to the Dominion Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Q—Are the butchers going to have a chat displayed in their shops to show the value of meat coupons?

A—Yes, there will be charts displayed in all butcher shops to show how many coupons or tokens are to be collected for meat purchased.

Please send your questions or your request for the pamphlet "Consumers' News" or the Blue Book in which you keep track of your ceiling prices, mentioning the name of this paper to the nearest Wartime Prices and Trade Board office in your province.

## SMILE AWHILE

Lipstick is something that merely adds color and flavor to an old pastime.

Definition of a floor? The only thing that will stop falling hair.

Remember the old advertisement? "The Ham What Am?" Now the question is, "What Am I?"

Doctor: "Why do you have BF-500 tattooed on your back?" Patient: "That's where my wife hit me with the car while I was holding the garage door open."

An accused criminal once smirked up at Lord Bacon, trying him as Chancellor. "Your Highness ought to let me free." "We're really kind, my name's Hogg; and Hogg's kin to Bacon."

"Not until it's hung," said Bacon drily.

"John, I've been lying awake for hours, waiting for you to come home from that wretched club."

"If that isn't just like a woman, And I've been at the club for hours waiting for you to go to sleep."

Hubbard, answering telephone: "I don't know. Call the weather bureau."

Pretty Young Wife: "Who was that?" Husband: "Some sailor. I guess he asked if the coast was clear."

We can't have any fun this evening. All I have in my pocket is some small change." "Well, what do you think it takes to send my kid brother to the movie? A five dollar bill!"

He: I wonder what a little bride thinks of when strolling up the aisle to the pealing strains of the marriage hymn?

She: Aisle altar hymn—I'll alter him.

A Chinese waiter said: "Funny people you Canadians. You take a glass—you put in sugar to make it sweet and lemon to make it sour; you put in salt to warn you up and lie to keep you cool—you say, 'Here's to you and then you drink it yourself!'"

Teacher: "Now, boys, if Napoleon were alive today, what would he be doing?"

Smart Alec: "Drawing an old age pension."

### WILL TOUR CANADA

With a vast ex-service-men and women, the stage show, "Home Again," will tour Canada this winter, the Canadian Legion has announced.

High octane gasoline is not a single product, but the blend of a base stock with high quality synthetic hydrocarbons and tetra-ethyl lead.



LT.-GEN. TAKASHI KAMEBE, Japanese chief of staff, looks unhappy and plump as he attends the preliminary press talks at Gen. MacArthur's headquarters at Manila.

### Slow Neutrons

These May Be Used For Production Of Power

An official British report on the atomic bomb in detail reveals that there are two kinds of atomic explosions, one the city-destroying type, and the other only as powerful as ordinary explosives.

The low power explosion has important implications for world safety, in the promise that in producing atomic power for peace the engineers will deal with a force much greater, in destructive capacity, than the accidents in steam and gasoline power plants.

The two kinds of atomic explosions depend, respectively, on fast neutrons for an atomic bomb and slow neutrons for atomic power. The American official report by Dr. H. D. Smith made it clear that the bomb depends on fast neutrons. The British report tells more exactly why this is so.

Fast neutrons are uncharged particles that travel at thousands of miles a second and with energies of millions of volts each. Slow neutrons drop to energies of only a few volts or even fractions of volts, and also to a few other speeds in between.

These slow neutrons are about 10 times more effective than the fast kind in producing the splits on pieces of uranium or plutonium atoms. Their very slowness prevents their, in an atomic bomb.

A peculiarity of the atomic explosion, uranium 235 and plutonium 239, is the fact that they are safe, until the instant when more than two pounds are brought together into a single clump-packed mass.

The huge plant in the state of Washington that converts common non-explosive uranium 238 into plutonium uses slow neutrons to produce its transformation reactions. It is possible to control the slow neutron reactions, so that they are safe from explosions.

The neutrons were not even start the reactions of the Washington plant, even when a ton of pure common uranium is concentrated. The fast neutrons, however, cannot be controlled. It is extracted from common uranium and concentrated.

### A Rare Metal

Mined At Great Slave Lake, It Is In Great Demand

On the lonely, northeast shore of Great Slave Lake there is a small town. The buildings are humble and unimpressive. Yet this location is an important Canadian source of tantalum—a neglected rare metal whose demand is increasing.

Tantalum has peculiar properties of allowing an electric current to flow through it in only one direction. It forms a number of important alloys with nickel, chromium, molybdenum, iron and other metals and these alloys are used in surgical and dental instruments.

With carbon it forms tantalum carbide which approaches the diamond in hardness and does not melt at 3000 deg. C. Wire made from tantalum is stronger than steel wire. The metal can be easily colored and used in jewelry. It is used in radio tubes.

Recently it has been found that it makes an ideal substance for surgeons to use in the human body to replace portions of the skull or other bones. It has a very high resistance to corrosion and will last almost indefinitely.

### Vessel To Palestine

Pacific Coast Steamer Purchased By The Oriental Navigation Co.

The former S.S. Prince Charles, well-known for many years as a Canadian National vessel on the Vancouver-Queen Charlotte Island run in British Columbia, was sold recently for the second time since leaving the C.N. service.

Her last owners, the Union Steamship Ltd., of Vancouver, who operated the ship under the name of the S.S. Canamoon, recently reported she was bought by the Oriental Navigation Company, of Tel Aviv, Palestine. The vessel will now sail among the islands and coast ports of Palestine and the Mediterranean. The ship was built at Ayr, Scotland in 1913.

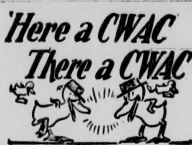


## Margie's a Trouble-Shooter

THIS is Margie. She spends her days meeting trouble—and then setting it right. She's one of the most popular girls we know, because she never gets upset or annoyed.

Girls like Margie can't afford to have nerves. That's why she—and hosts of folks like her—drink Postum. Postum is free of caffeine or any other drug that might disturb heart or nerves or digestion. And Postum is a grand drink. Has an appealing flavor all its own—not like tea, not like coffee, but wonderfully delicious in an altogether different way.

Make Postum your regular meal-time drink! Drink it between meals too. You'll love it.



### MEET A CWAC—

When questioned about her job in Ottawa, Sgt. Mary Alice Parker, former school teacher, Kamask, Sask., replied: "Well, I still can't say about it, even though the war is over. I worked in the Director of Staff Duties (Weapons), N.D.H.Q., and it was most secret. At first it seemed rather strange not to say anything, even to one another, but we soon got used to the idea. Why, we'd know a girl for months, even know where she worked, but we didn't have the slightest idea what she did. Our motto was: 'It's better to appear very stupid when questioned than to give out the slightest information that might be of use to the enemy.'"

Sgt. Parker, coming from a long line of military ancestors, enlisted in the Canadian Women's Army Corps in April, 1942, and received her Basic Training at St. Anne de Bellevue, Que. Posted to the A.G. Branch in Ottawa, she returned to St. Anne in 1943 with the rank of corporal for a N.C.O. course; at the completion of which she was promoted to the rank of Staff Duties (Weapons) in Ottawa, with a rank of Sergeant.

"Besides finding my work interesting, Ottawa is a very attractive place in which to work," Sgt. Parker continued. "You seem to be at the very heart of things. There was always something to do or see. I've missed my lunch a good many times in order to see some important personages, such as Madame Chiang Kai-Shek, General de Gaulle, Dutch Royalty and so on."

In an address to the Earl of Athlone during her stay in Ottawa, being one of the three chosen from among the services to be presented, "I have enjoyed every moment of my army life and wouldn't have missed the experience for the world," she concluded. "I would like to take this opportunity to say how well I enjoyed living with the other members of the CWAC in Rihl's Barracks. It is really a lovely place."

Besides her service ribbon Sgt. Parker wears the Jubilee ribbon, which was awarded to her on the 25th anniversary of King George V reign. She is at present at 112 Depot Coy., CWAC, Regina, awaiting her return to civvie street. After a short holiday in Eastern Canada, she intends to resume her position as primary teacher in Kamask, Sask.

### CWAC ENTERTAIN THE BEVERLY HAXTERS

In an address to CWAC personnel stationed in London, England, Mr. Beverly Baxter, Canadian born M.P., described the House of Commons as "the greatest parliament in any time." During the time when invasion seemed inevitable, members were issued with railway tickets to London, where an emergency building was in preparation. Never once, during the most trying times in Britain, had Parliament missed a session. Prior to the outbreak, Mr. and Mrs. Baxter were entertained by members of the CWAC.

### CWAC AND THE LEGION—

Any ex-CWAC, providing she has the necessary service, may become a member of the Legion, for as far as the Legion is concerned, members of the CWAC are service men, too. So, if she's a "person of good character, who has seen active service in any of His Majesty's forces," she'll be most welcome. Up until the present time, the number of women who could belong to the Canadian Legion has been small, as Nursing Sisters were the only active members.

World War I. But when the women's services in this war are all disbanded, the Legion looks forward to a large number of girls becoming members and taking their rightful place with the rest of the veterans. There's a job, too, for women in the Legion. Problems of home and family are a women's sphere, they will be able to assist in the solution of such problems. Ex-service women can join any branch of the Legion, or if there are enough of them, they can get together and form a branch of their own. Whether they are members or not, the Legion makes a helping hand to discharged service women, but it would be much easier if women could be present at the meetings as a member, so that they would be able to give their ideas in their own way and work them out for themselves. Besides all this, the old veterans and it will add to the happiness of the meeting to have a few girls within their ranks. Women in the Legion will definitely be a good influence.

CWAC Question Mark: Why did you, Patsy, refuse to press her? Patsy's answer: "I thought she seemed very much attached to him. Patsy, Patsy: She is, but just for rations and quarters, not duty."

## GEMS OF THOUGHT

### NATURAL VIRTUES

Silver and gold are not the only virtues; virtue too passes current all over the world.—Euripides.

Prudence is the necessary ingredient in all the virtues, without which they degenerate into folly and excess.—Jeremy Collier.

There never was any heart truly great and generous that was not also tender and compassionate.—South.

To cultivate sympathy you must be among living creatures, and thinking about them.—Ruskin.

Justice and truth make man free, injustice and error enslave him.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Tolerance gives nature her full play, and enables her to exert herself in all her force and vigor.—Addison.

Tin was known to the Phoenicians and Romans.

## Good Way to Treat Sore, Itching Piles

If you suffer agonizing torture from sore, itching piles, try the relief of a simple, home treatment with the precision of a doctor's prescription. The relief is not satisfied with the results.

NOTE: The sponsor of this notice is a reliable firm, who has been in business over 20 years. If you are troubled with sore, itching, painful piles, or hemorrhoids, help you quickly or the small purchase price will be gladly refunded.



# Story About The Monster Dinosaurs Who Long Years Ago Roamed Badlands Of Alberta

(By Isabel M. Iredale in the Empire Digest)

"THE fevered imaginings of disordered brains?" So scoffed the wise-creatures of a few short years ago when colossal petrified bones were unearthed and reconstructed into monsters of improbable size and form. Today, however, scientists have provided indisputable proof that such a race—the dinosaurs—did once exist. Evidence also points to the fact that the badlands of Alberta in Western Canada was a favored habitat.

Bordering Calgary, "city of the foothills," situated east of the Rocky Mountains in Alberta, is an island formed by the converging Bow and Elbow rivers. Connected by a bridge it makes an exquisite setting for the Calgary Zoo, which is unique in that it accommodates not only live, modern-day creatures from the four corners of the globe, but also, life-size replicas of the ancient race of reptiles—the dinosaurs—who once roamed these plains and ruled the world.

"Why," you will ask, "are the remains of these creatures so prevalent in Alberta if they inhabited the whole earth?"

This is the result of conditions existing at the time of dinosaur life and to conditions that have prevailed since. During the Mesozoic, or dinosaur age, Alberta was covered by a vast landward of sea and marsh that stretched from the Gulf of Mexico up through the Great Plains of the Arctic.

Later various forces combined to alter all this. The earth cooled. Seas became dry land. The world emerged as we know it today. The swamps—the paradise of the dinosaurs—disappeared. The dinosaurs became extinct. Their bones sank beneath the shifting sands.

A mighty river then forced a channel along what is known today as the Red Deer Valley. It cut down through the deposits left by the ages. Today it is quite small but its work of discovery is done. Near the base of its deeply eroded banks is the stratum in which the dinosaur bones are found.

Though all these creatures were egg-eating reptiles they may be roughly divided into two main groups, allied on the one hand to crocodiles, on the other to birds. But these main groups fall again into a multitude of sub-types with a great diversity in form and size. Some were as big as a lion; others measured more than 80 feet from tip to tip.

The vegetarians were the largest land animals the world has ever seen. The carnivores were the most ferocious of all known flesh-eaters. Most dinosaurs had small heads, some were supplied with horns, bony and leathery heads, but all types shared one peculiarity in common—all had incredibly tiny brains.

Stegosaurus, a heavier beast than a modern elephant, had a braincase 50 times smaller. But Stegosaurus like many of the larger types had a second, or a secret brain at the base of the spine. The function of this nerve centre was the control of the hind limbs and the tail which was the principle means of both attack and defence.

Lacking a developed intelligence the flesh-eating dinosaur would have no hunting instinct as we see it demonstrated in a moon-day cat or hawk of prey. The ancient carnivore probably snatched himself till some other creature moved past his line of vision which would be often for life was prehistoric. Then he would strike with all the deadly power at his command.

Most frightful of all known flesh-eaters was Tyrannosaurus, King of the Tyrant Lizards. He stood erect on powerful hind legs, towering in three prongs capable of disembowelling an opponent at one glance. Eighteen feet tall and 38 feet long he possessed an enormous head and colossal jaws armed with teeth 12 inches long. His forearms, in grotesque contrast, were no bigger than a man's. In spite of a massive body and long, heavy tail, he was active and agile and a ferocious fighter.

Among the dinosaurs forms the most fantastic are the armoured types. These creatures were four-legged. Some gained a length of 30 feet and weighed in the region of ten tons. They bristled with bony scutes and spikes placed in beautiful, geometric designs. Some sported not only two horns, but a third, built out upon the nose like the mythical unicorn. It is entirely probable that the ancients preceded us in unearthing dinosaur remains and these were the inspiration for the mythical dragon and the unicorn.

Nature's most extraordinary experiment, however, during the Mesozoic period was the highly developed dive-bomber, Pterodactyl, whose total weight would approximate but 25 pounds in spite of a wing spread of 22 feet. The long bones of Pterodactyl's body were all of tubular construction—a principle used in airplane design—with walls no thicker than blotting paper. They were perforated to permit air to circulate

## Enjoying The Sights

Two Princesses Go On A Little Walking Tour

We were just turning in under the Horse Guards Arch when we were held up by a collection of cheerful, laughing officers, and two pretty, laughing girls. The girls were simply dressed, each wearing a gay bandanna, gypsy fashion, to keep the rain off their curls.

"Look, that's Princess Elizabeth," said my wife, "and Margaret Rose." And she was right. Just as she said it, someone gripped her arm. "Don't mention it out loud, please. They just want to enjoy themselves and be noticed as little as possible."

The speaker was a tall, dark, handsome-looking officer, pretending hard to have nothing to do with the party but keeping a vigilant eye on them, and us—and keeping up a very quick pace, too, which was necessary if we were not to lose sight of them.

The Princesses looked bright and happy. Princess Elizabeth was wearing a plain navy coat and dark velvet silk bandanna. Margaret Rose's coat was light blue, just as plain, but her hair was dark and shiny. They both wore blue stockings and low-heeled brown walking shoes.

Up Whitehall they all went—never breaking the chain of handmaids, no matter how large the crowds coming toward them. They merely cheerfully raised their arms in an arch, and did a lancers' step through to the other side—just eight revelling officers and two young women, hand in hand, enjoying the sights—Aidan Thomson in London Calling.

## Harmless As Dust

But New Insecticide DDT May Be Peril In Liquid

The insecticide, DDT, in dust form is absolutely harmless. But it may be harmful in some solvent form, and scientists are now conducting research to overcome any possibility of danger to the ordinary user.

This was disclosed by the Swiss inventors of DDT (dichlorodiphenyl-trichloroethane) in their first American interview given at the Hotel Pennsylvania, New York City.

Dr. Paul Lauger, director of research for the company controlling the insecticide patent, acted as spokesman for himself and Dr. Paul Miller, discoverer in 1929 of the insecticidal qualities of DDT. He reported that as a powder the insecticide is safe, that while working with it scientists had breathed it in and swallowed it without suffering any harmful effects.

"It is not toxic," Dr. Lauger reported, "but in solvent form it may be absorbed through the pores and therefore would become a potential danger."

The human ear, it is estimated, can distinguish 500,000 different tones.



**VICTORY JUBILATION**—Headpiece called "victory jubilation" by their creator, Dolores a London milliner, include this model which suggests the imperial crown of England and is fashioned in velvet and ermine. Other models have Chinese and Russian motifs.

## Air Traffic Lights

Pilots In Future May Navigate By Knowing The Stars

Lieut. Commander Gordon A. Atwater, a former New York business man who had charge of training 2,000 officers in navigation during the war, has been named chairman and curator of the American Museum of Natural History's department of astronomy and the Hayden Planetarium. Teaching celestial navigation for practical purposes will become increasingly important at the Planetarium, Commander Atwater disclosed. Navigation and applied astronomy have been a serious pursuit for him from his boyhood days in sailboats which he and his brother designed and built on Lake Erie. Public knowledge of the science has advanced, "and can be felt from a higher level," he added. He expects air line stewards to be sufficiently familiar with heavenly bodies to point them out to air travellers. "When planes travel at 1,000 to 1,200 miles an hour—which means New York to London in three hours—able will do a good job of navigating through their recognition of celestial bodies and their knowledge of their movements. The bodies will guide them just like traffic lights."

## LOCATED UNDERGROUND

Workers have begun demolishing London's most secret air raid shelters—a series of well-furnished bedrooms deep underground where members of the war cabinet used to sleep through bombardments. It was located 30 feet under the Telephone Exchange building near St. Paul's cathedral.

# Meat Control Regulations Are Essential If Supplies For Our Overseas Shipments Is To Be Met

UNLESS the Canadian people give wholehearted support to the reduction in their present meat consumption as required under the meat rationing plan, and unless Canadian cattle are marketed in an orderly manner, Canada will not be doing her full share in preventing starvation in Europe.

Even if farmers market their less desirable and off-grade cattle earlier than usual, Canada will not be able to achieve her current undertaking through the Combined Food Board in supplying meat to the United Kingdom and the liberated countries of Europe, said Dr. G. S. H. Barton, deputy minister of agriculture and Canada's deputy member of the Combined Food Board.

Live-stock slaughter control regulations now in effect are absolutely essential if equitable distribution of domestic supplies is to be achieved, and if the highest possible volume of meat for overseas shipment is to be provided, said F. S. Grisdale, administrator of meat and meat products for the Prices Board.

Canada's present position in regard to food supplies is a semi-critical one, Europeans is outlined in the following statement from the Dominion Department of Agriculture:

In April of this year representative Ministers of the United Kingdom and Canadian Governments, together with other officials, met the authorities of the United States at the invitation of the late President Roosevelt to consider the world food situation which at that time showed serious deterioration. Following detailed investigation of the position of basic food stuffs, recommendations for conserving, increasing and distributing supplies were made to the respective Governments, with some minor changes, were accepted by them.

Meat was found to be in one of the worst positions. With the utmost that could be done to reduce consumption in the supplying countries, and even in the United Kingdom, only relatively small quantities could be made available to the liberated peoples.

Canada's expected supplies for export were placed at: 200,000,000 lb. of carcass and boneless beef, with a possible additional 25,000,000 lb. if it could be made available. 465,000,000 lb. of bacon. 114,000,000 lb. of canned meat.

In the first six months of this year inspected plants in Canada slaughtered 735,000 head of cattle and the Canadian Meat Board exported the equivalent of: 80,000,000 lb. of carcass beef. 255,000,000 lb. of bacon. 51,000,000 lb. of canned meat.

As at August 22nd in the second six months of 1945 the Meat Board has secured for export only 3,500,000 lb. of beef. The estimated slaughter of cattle at inspected plants for the last half of 1945 is 825,000 head. This represents a weekly average slaughter of 32,000 head, or 2,000 head per week higher than in 1944. It is believed that this can be accomplished if marketings are reasonably distributed but so far these marketings have not reached 20,000 head in any week. In the week ending August 15 stockyard marketings of cattle for all Canada were 27,227 head.

In Ontario in the early part of this year an average of nearly 10,000 head of cattle per week were slaughtered in inspected plants, whereas during the week beginning August 13 slaughterings totalled 7,019 head.

At Winnipeg, the large slaughtering centre for Western Canada, over 12,000 head per week were slaughtered for a period of some weeks during last fall. For the week ending August 11 the inspected kill was 7,660 head and for the following 7,281 head. It is clear, therefore, that the inspected plants from which exports must be derived are not operating to capacity. The only point at which temporary congestion has developed was Toronto. This was due to special circumstances, including the temporary absence of labour, the holiday on V-J day and fire in a large Montreal plant which ordinarily would have received part of the Toronto cattle.

The slaughter of 825,000 head, it is estimated, will enable Canada to fulfil her canned meat undertaking but, even on the basis of restricted consumption, it will provide only another 80,000,000 pounds of beef for export. This will leave a deficit of 40,000,000 pounds, without taking in to account the requested additional 25,000,000 pounds. In the face of this position, restriction of domestic consumption seems imperative.

Canada has been consuming, and will continue to consume, practically all the top grades of beef she produces. Before the war these top grades were not consumed in any quantity in Canada because the bulk of such beef was exported in live cattle to the United States. If that market were open today exactly the same condition would prevail.

**ABORIGINALS OWN LAND**  
Since 1870, all the land in the Northwest Territories belongs to aborigines. The land cannot be sold to people of other nationalities, who can only rent for a limited time.

**FOURTEEN FOR CHINA**  
British newspapers have begun referring to it as "The Six Year War." But for the Chinese it will more likely be remembered as the "Fourteen Years' War," for the first of the "incidents" of Japanese aggression against that war-riven country began in 1931.

**Oil Is Iran's greatest natural resource.**

**Blood Donors**  
More than 6,000 employees of the western region, Canadian National Railways, contributed blood to the Red Cross during the war and up to August 22 when the blood donor depots were closed, it was announced by Dr. Emmet Dwyer, regional medical officer.

"In many cities from the Lakehead to the Pacific Coast, employees of the C.N.R. contributed more blood to the Red Cross than any other industry, this being particularly true in Winnipeg and throughout the prairie provinces," said Dr. Dwyer.

In Winnipeg, blood was given by employees of the railway on 2,802 occasions, 2,112 contributions being made by men and 450 by women, individual donations running as high as seventeen.

**New For The Navy**  
Man From Lower Deck Is Civil Lord Of Admiralty

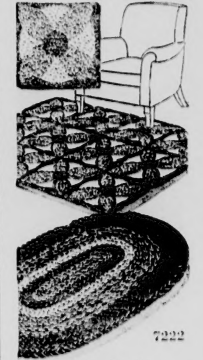
When Leading Stoker Walter Edwards goes aboard one of His Majesty's ships these days, a guard of honor springs to attention as the man's pipe shrills and a hand breaks out. The explanation is that Leading Stoker Edwards, of the Royal Navy, who made the most dangerous run of the war in the convoys to Murmansk, is now Civil Lord of Admiralty in the Labor Government. He is the first man from the lower deck to be elected to Parliament. The election would be startling in any company, but in the Royal Navy it can be little short of earth-shaking.

**A Tribute**  
Is Paid To Canada For Its Aid To Britain

A tribute to Canada's secondarily endless tons of goodwill for Britain was paid by the London Star in an editorial. Under the heading "Genetrix," the Star said: "Canada has agreed to provide any dollars necessary for the financing of British and all sterling area purchases in the Dominion during the next few months. Further, if there is still something owing by us, Canada will simply respond to the presentation of the bill."

"Here once again is the most tangible evidence of Canadian loyalty and generosity toward the Mother Country."

## From Rags To Rugs



by Alice Brooks

Rag rag stuffed with myriad old things? Get them out and crochet, hook, weave or brand them into colorful, practical rugs.

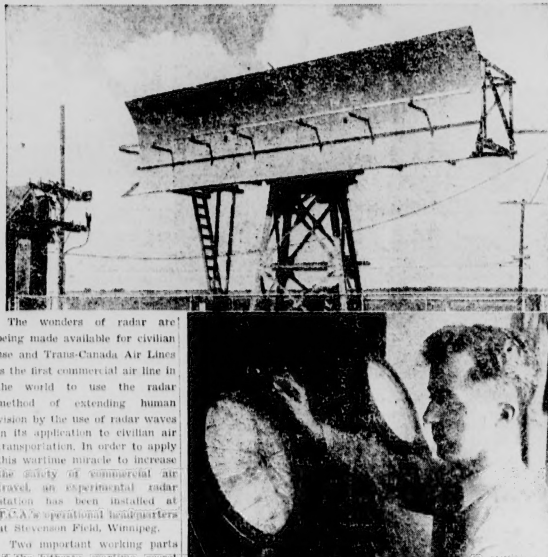
Fun to make, so ask the children to help. Instructions 7222 has directions for nine rugs of materials, pattern pieces if needed.

To obtain this pattern send twenty cents in coin (stamp order is acceptable) to Household Arts Department, Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermott Avenue E., Winnipeg, Man. Be sure to write plainly your Name, Address and Pattern Number.

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## T.C.A. First Air Line To Use Radar's "Magic Eye"



The wonders of radar are being made available for civilian use and Trans-Canada Air Lines is the first commercial air line in the world to use the radar method of extending human vision by the use of radar waves in its application to civilian air transportation. In order to apply this wartime miracle to increase the safety of commercial air travel, an experimental radar station has been installed at T.C.A.'s operational headquarters at Stevenson Field, Winnipeg.

Two important working parts of the Emitter-Radar secret are shown above. In the top picture is a rotating semi-cylindrical shaped antenna which sends out radio waves and then catches the returning echo.

The lower picture shows S. S. Stevens, Trans-Canada Air Lines Superintendent of communications and electronic development, who returned to Canada a short time ago after attending the Third Commonwealth and Empire Conference on Radar in London and is now in Rio de Janeiro at the Third International Aeronautical Radio Communications

conference, operating the "Cathode Ray Indicator," radar's screen, which is similar to that used in television.

This particular type is known as the "Plan Position Indicator," or P.P.I., which is radar in its latest advanced form. Visually recorded on this screen in the form of a dot is an aircraft in flight. This is accomplished by the "R.P.P.", which is an electronic beam like a hand on a clock which circulates on the full face of the dial timed with the scanning antenna resulting in a fluorescent picture of what radar sees.

When used in an aircraft, the flight crew continually sees a picture of the ground below in any weather so that they are as familiar with conditions as they would be in their own homes.

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## HUTTERITES BACK TO STATES

There is a movement now taking place whereby some of the Hutterites of Alberta may return to the United States, where most of these settlers came from a number of years ago.

If any widespread movement takes place it should be encouraged by our provincial and dominion governments.

The Didsbury district is fortunate in not having any of these colony settlers within its boundaries, but many parts of southern Alberta are not so well off on account of their presence. They are good farmers and they claim to be honest and law abiding citizens, but they are no asset to any district, and never should be allowed to buy land in the province.

This country cannot progress when large sections of land are taken up by the Hutterites. Wherever this has happened that part of a district is usually considered a detriment as far as business and community life is concerned.

If these Hutterites want to go back to the States, and can get there, by all means encourage them to do so. Alberta would be better off without them. Their lands could be divided among individual farmers who would not produce any more, but who would all help to maintain our country in peace as well as in war. At the same time it would open up many square miles of farm land to our returning men who are looking for farms at the present time.

## STEALING FROM STARVING

There will be enough meat for everybody in Canada. We are not rationing it because it is scarce; we are rationing it to save the lives of our allies. Those who are tempted to try to get more meat through resort to black markets must understand where that extra meat will come from. It will come from the mouths of starving people. They will be taking it from civilian allies who have given everything but their lives for victory. They will be taking it from the people who habitually get less meat to eat in a month than we have in a couple of days. It will not be considered as "smart" in Canada to have more meat to eat than the law allows. It will not be so considered because decent Canadians will look with distaste upon those who will steal food from starving people.—Winnipeg Free Press.

HUNDRED POUND HARVESTER  
THRESHES STANDING CORN

A new simple harvester of special value for small farms is being tried out at Evesham in central England. Although it costs no more than a binder the machine threshes standing corn — and preliminary trials over 15 acres have shown it does the work smoothly and speedily. The corn is guided by prongs in the front of the harvester so that the heads are caught in a miniature drum, threshed and then released. A sucking board at the back carries two sacks of grain.

SIX YEARS FOR WAR—  
SIX MONTHS FOR PEACE

Using the slogan "Six Years for War—Six Months For Peace," Mrs. Clara McEachren, National Chairman of the Women's War Work Committee, because of mounting relief needs in Europe, Britain and the Far East, recently issued an urgent call to all Red Cross women workers throughout Canada to stay at their posts or "on call" for at least another six months.

Red Cross workers have made over 45 million Red Cross supplies and comforts for the Forces and Civilian Relief during the six years

of war and Mrs. McEachren expressed her confidence that they would not stand by now and let millions of destitute people in Europe suffer this winter for want of their help.

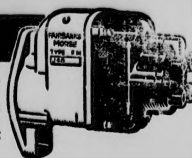
There is a feeling abroad that because the war is over, the work of the Red Cross is completed. This is definitely not the case with the Women's War Work of the Cana-

dian Red Cross Society. The women of Canada have given Red Cross six years for war. They are now asked to give six months for Peace.

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Wartime controls are gradually going out the window as the supply picture improves. This substantiates Prices Board policy of lifting restrictions wherever possible. A few changes announced during the past week affect such diverse articles as facial tissue, luggage and leather goods, farm machinery, raw silk and the insecticide, DDT.

Facial tissues will gradually resume pre-war proportions since control over their size, weight of paper used, and the number of sheets to a packet will be exercised no longer. Controls on the end-use and delivery of paper board boxes has also been relaxed.

Wardrobe trunks should be coming back to market in quantity after the New Year as a result of freeing luggage production. Controls on the production of small leather goods and on the acquisition and use of raw silk have also been lifted.

DDT will be available to any buyer in future because supplies are more plentiful. Nicotine and rotenone will also be available through ordinary channels.

From October 1, farm machinery and equipment has been removed from the ration, though current ration permits should be honored.

In all cases, price controls still hold.

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**GRATUITIES MOUNT UP**  
Rehabilitation isn't so bad after all. Take the case of Flight Lieutenant Doug Wilson of Calgary. When he returned to Canada after more than three years as a prisoner of war, he found Civic Street paved with gold.  
His back pay, plus his government gratuities added up to a home coming reward of over \$11,000.

## WEDDINGS

EDWARDS-STULL

St. Barnabas Church, Calgary, was the scene of a pretty wedding at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, September 19, when marriage vows were exchanged between Gnr. Art Edwards of Didsbury and Myrtle Stull, youngest daughter of Mr. Thomas Stull of Carstairs. Rev. J.M. Roe performed the ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a silver-blue dress, maker suit with black accessories. She wore a corsage of Talcott roses.

The matron of honor, Mrs. Vera Brown of Calgary, wore a chocolate brown dressmaker suit with matching accessories and a corsage of pink carnations.

Sgt. A.G. Brown of Calgary was groomsmen.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the Mandarin Gardens in Calgary where the bride's table was decorated with blue, pink and yellow streamers.

Gnr. Edwards has just completed overseas service with the Canadian Army Overseas and Miss Stull has been employed on the teaching staff of Western Canada High School in Calgary.

Out of town guests attending the wedding were, Mr. and Mrs. J. Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. L.B. Dickson of Didsbury, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Stull of Balzac, Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Stull of Arrowwood, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stull of Carstairs, Helen Goussard, Thelma Waterman and Frank Carleton also attended. Following a short honeymoon Mr. and Mrs. Edwards will reside in Calgary.

## Classified Ads. Get Results!

## INDIVIDUALS WILL DETERMINE CHARACTER OF RECONSTRUCTION EFFORT

The contribution farmers can make toward reconstruction is essentially a problem in farm management. On some farms, debt reduction will continue to be important. Others will be faced with the alternatives of replacing worn out equipment, the development of a new enterprise (pure-bred stock, for example), the extension of buildings, or the installation of labour-saving devices and conveniences in the home as well as outside.

In a short time labour will be available to do the many things that have been left undone during these busy war years. The development and organization of farm enterprises that labour might be given farm employment in all seasons, will in itself be a major contribution toward economic stability and adjustment.

## IS YOUR SUBSCRIPTION DUE?

Subscribers have been notified if their subscription to "The Pioneer" has expired. To those who may not have found this notice in their paper, we ask them to check the yellow label on their paper for due date. If you happen to be one of those in arrears, kindly make an effort to pay up these arrears immediately. Shortage of news print may compel us to discontinue the paper to those very far in arrears, so if you want to continue to get the "Pioneer" each week, be sure that your paper is paid in advance.

## Church News

## EVANGELICAL

Rev. A.M. Amacher, B.A., Pastor  
Sundays:  
10:30 a.m.—Morning Worship.  
11:30 a.m.—Sunday School.  
7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship.  
Wednesdays, 8 p.m.—Prayer Meeting.

## UNITED CHURCH

Rev. D. Whyte Smith, Minister  
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.  
7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship.  
Westcott, 11:00 a.m.

M. B. C.  
Mennonite Brethren in Christ

Rev. D. C. Eby, Pastor  
Sundays:  
1:30 p.m.—Sunday School.  
2:30 p.m.—Preaching Service.  
7:45 p.m.—Preaching Service, including Young People's meeting on alternate Sundays.  
Wednesdays, 8 p.m.—Prayer Service.

## CHURCH OF ENGLAND

St. Cyprian's, Didsbury  
Rev. F.C. Musson, I. Th., Rector  
First Sunday in the month—  
Evening ..... 3:00 p.m.  
Third Sunday in the month—  
Holy Communion ..... 11:00 a.m.

## LUTHERAN

Rev. Albert F. Reiner, Pastor  
Westcott: Every Sunday at 11:00 a.m.  
Didsbury: Every Sunday except the fourth at 2:30 p.m.

## THE PRICE OF WHEAT

(By Major H.G.L. Strange)

The Minister of Trade and Commerce has announced in the House of Commons that the Government undertakes that for the next five years producers will receive not less than \$1.00 a bushel for wheat basis 1 Northern in store Fort William, Port Arthur or Vancouver, on the authorized deliveries for each crop year, and that the Government has instructed the Wheat Board to offer Canadian wheat for export overseas at prices not higher than the current export price of \$1.55 a bushel.

This action of the Government has met with both approval and criticism. It seems, however, that any Government that attempts to set the price of an export commodity is entitled to a great deal of sympathy, for they are faced with three difficulties, each of which nulls them in a different direction. First, to set a price that will be satisfactory to purchasers; secondly, to set a price that will be satisfactory to consumers; and thirdly, to set a price that the tax payer may not have to pay too much should a loss come about on the buying and selling operations.

The whole matter is bound up

## THE WELCOME HOME COMMITTEE OF THE DIDSBURY CITIZENS' REHABILITATION COMMITTEE INVITE ALL

## RETURNED MEN AND WOMEN

And Lady and Gentleman Friends, to attend Their First

## WELCOME HOME PARTY

IN THE LEGION HALL, DIDSBURY

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 5th.—8:30 P.M.

## BERGEN NEWS NOTES

The school fair at Sundre was not a success, because of snow and bad roads.

It is rumored that Wesley Lund is arriving soon with a war bride.

Charley Steen held the trees down while his sister Lola drove over the tops or through an arbor of small trees — trees laden with snow. The Burma road is probably hidden until spring.

Mrs. Irene Halvorsen teaches the Red Deer Valley school, while Mrs. Hazel Halvorsen is the teacher at Eiaswald.

Rev. A. Halermehl reports a very small grain yield around Oyen and Acadia Valley. Wheat is yielding from 5 to 12 bushels.

We are not happy with eight inches of snow and more coming down. Equinoctial storms and moon chances that coincide do not contribute good haying nor harvesting weather.

With innumerable international complications and conditions over which no one in Canada has much if any control.

**FARMERS NEED "GOOD" TIRES**

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The Worst Inflation came after the last war  
NOW is the Real Testing time ...

Victory has been won on the battle front but we must not relax our efforts if we are to continue to avoid the evils of inflation and deflation.

We are rapidly moving towards the day when shortages will be overcome but reconstruction takes time.

The danger of inflation, and its black shadow deflation, will last as long as goods are not enough to meet demands.

The ending of the war brings the temptation to accumulate for things we've been without and to offer to pay any price to get them.

That's the way inflation gets started.

Inflation with its soaring cost of living is bad enough.

But inflation is always followed by deflation with its falling prices, bankrupt businesses, unemployment and distress.

Deflation would be a calamity that would involve every man, woman and child in Canada.

The only controls that are being maintained are those that aid the production of needed supplies and their speedy and fair distribution to the public, and which prevent an inflationary price rise.

As soon as conditions warrant, these will be dropped.

Until industry gets back to normal production, price ceilings, rationing and some controls are a necessary safeguard for everyone of us.

Keep them working.

## IT'S YOUR JOB AND YOUR SAVINGS THAT ARE AT STAKE

This advertisement is one of a series being issued by the Government of Canada to emphasize the importance of preventing a further increase in the cost of living now and deflation and unemployment later.

WORLD HAPPENINGS  
BRIEFLY TOLD

A new star 10,000 times more brilliant than the sun was reported discovered by Dr. Nils Tanzi of Kvitavberg observatory. It has not been named.

Educational tours of Germany in the areas in which they are working now are under way for members of the Canadian Women's Army Corps stationed in Germany.

Appointment of Honorable Legation Ponsal as Argentine minister to Canada, announced in Buenos Aires, completes a diplomatic exchange between the two countries.

Russia's far eastern armies seized more than 513,000 Japanese officers and men, including 31 top-ranking enemy generals, in their 20-day offensive against Japan, Moscow announced.

Ramonoane, an African native credited with being 120 years old, is dead. Blind many years, Ramonoane retained a memory which recalled native battles of more than a century ago.

The French foreign office announced that an international conference would be called, probably in November, to determine how the Western Allies will divide reparations from Germany.

All of Europe's inland transport—both rail and water—will be checked by the provisional organization for European inland transport, it was stated at a conference of the organization held in London.

Canadian army public relations said that the army was planning to hand the Netherlands government 1,200 officers and men to train a Dutch force which will take over Netherlands possessions in the Far East.

## Ambitious Plans

Japanese Intend To Invade United States From East And West Coasts

The liberated Sultan of Johore told a London Daily Mail reporter in Singapore that the Japanese planned to invade the United States from both the east and west.

The 71-year-old Sultan said former Japanese Premier Gen. Hiroki Tojo revealed the invasion plan to him while attempting to impress the Sultan with his plans for greater Asia.

Tojo produced maps and showed him exactly how the Japanese were going to drive through Burma and India and link up with the Germans at Baghdad, the Sultan said.

"He said he had an agreement with Hitler that the Germans and Japanese would share Egypt, North Africa and Morocco."

Tojo said the Japanese eventually would set sail across the Atlantic to America, simultaneously with an armada from the Pacific.

## Frozen Shipment

Carload Of Fruits And Vegetables Shipped From B.C. To Toronto

The first carload of frozen produce shipped from the Pacific Coast to the Valley district of British Columbia, famed for its high quality fruits and vegetables, recently moved to Toronto in one of the latest-type Canadian National Railways refrigerator cars.

Weighing 60,000 pounds, contents of the car were 3,000 cartons of quick-frozen beans, wrapped in wax paper, with a value of \$400.

The C.N.R. freight and transportation departments gave special care to the shipment and the beans were frozen at five degrees below zero.

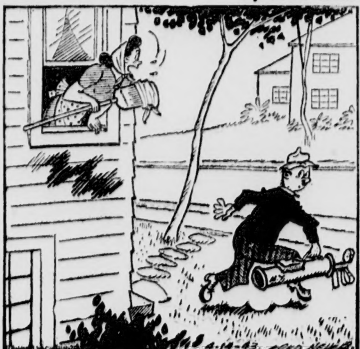
## CARE OF PATIENTS

In Canada, it has been established that of the 12,000 patients who have left sanatoria in 1942, more than 50% have been looked after with public funds.

The Chinese were the first people to discover a practical method of paper making by the weaving of fibre.

## LIFE'S LIKE THAT

By Fred Neher



... An' where, may I ask, do you think you're going?"

## Ice By Railway

Mountain Ice Is Shipped In Chunks To Vancouver

Natural ice, clear as crystal, has been shipped by rail from the Canadian National Railways all the way from the Rocky Mountains to relieve the ice shortage in that city. The mountain ice is shipped in chunks and is crushed by the National Harbours Board ice plant at the coast city for use in fishing boats.

Each winter, the C.N.R. cuts and stores some twelve thousand tons of ice at Lake Lucerne, in the Rockies, for use in dining and refrigerator cars and passenger day coaches and to meet a seasonal shortage a fishing company purchased one hundred tons from the railway.



## PASTEURIZATION OF MILK

This journal in past years has paid a great deal of attention to the question of pasteurization of milk because if all milk were pasteurized mortality and disability rates would be greatly reduced. Milk, recognized as the finest of foods, should be an essential in the diet of everyone. Henry Wallace, when Vice-President of the United States, said in a famous speech, a few years ago, that every child in America should have a quart of milk a day. Were this objective achieved, the effect on the stature and health of children would be remarkable.

However, Henry Wallace should have used the term "pasteurized milk" instead of just "milk" because milk unpasteurized may convey disease. It is known that milk can carry the germs of tuberculosis, typhoid and paratyphoid fever, undulant fever, diphtheria, scarlet fever and septicaemia. Besides it has been noticed that when pasteurization is effectively established, infant mortality rates immediately drop.

These facts being known, it is ridiculous as well as tragic that in Canada only one province has a law enforcing the man and woman keen to render service for the welfare of their fellow citizens. This magazine "Health" sounds the clarion cry to act many years ago. The time has come to commence a vigorous campaign to the end that all milk sold in Canada for human consumption be pasteurized.

On behalf of the Health League of Canada, "Health" gives notice that from now on there will be no let-up in the campaign. All citizens who are children who believe in health for the Canadian people are invited to help. Write to the Health League of Canada, 11 Avenue Road, Toronto or Province of Quebec Division 914, Sun Life Building, Montreal. Give us stories which illustrate the need for pasteurization. Tell us how you can help. Write today.

## Spreading Rapidly

Fire Blight Is Affecting Apple Trees In Alberta

Recent surveys made in Alberta by the Dominion Laboratory of Plant Pathology, University of Alberta, have disclosed that the fire blight disease of apple trees is spreading rapidly throughout areas hitherto free from it. For example, fire blight apparently was not present in Edmonton until very recently, but now it may be seen in many parts of the city. Crabapples are particularly susceptible to fire blight. The disease is bacterial in nature and is spread mainly by rain and wind to parts of the same tree or to adjacent trees, says G. B. Sandford, pathologist-in-charge, Dominion Laboratory of Plant Pathology, Edmonton, Alta. Once some of the blossoms become infected, it may be spread by pollinating insects from blossom to blossom, tree to tree, and orchard to orchard. The disease was originally introduced in a district on nursery stock.

As the name suggests, fire blight is easily recognized by the scorched appearance of the leaves of affected branches or shoots. Frequently fire blight appears first on the topmost branches, where the leaves, bark, bark of twigs and of larger branches, and also the fruit, may all be diseased. Eventually the entire tree may be killed.

As spraying is not a practical means for controlling fire blight the diseased parts must be cut out immediately they appear. The cut should be made at some distance below the obviously diseased area and the diseased part must be burned. Also, great care must be taken to keep the pruning tools disinfected by dipping them between each operation in a solution containing one part of formalin in 30 parts of water, or even stronger. When pruning during the dormant season the tools need not be disinfected.

A popular description of fire blight, with suggestions of control, is given in circular No. 146 available free from the Dominion Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

## Spider Was Wise

By Bennett Cerf In Saturday Review Of Literature

During Mark Twain's early days as the newspaper business in Missouri, relates Irving Hoffman, he received a letter from a subscriber stating that he had found a spider in his paper, and asking if this was an omen of good or bad luck. Twain replied, "Finding a spider in your paper is neither good nor bad. The spider was merely looking over your paper to see which merchant was not advertising so that he could go to that store, spin his web across the door and lead a life of undisturbed peace ever afterward."

It is possible to sail up the Amazon river for days without seeing either shore.

## THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson

IVAR JOHNSON, STAMBAUGH, MICH., ALTHOUGH BLIND, IS AN EXCELLENT WOOD CUTTER!



ANSWER: On a tree. A shaddock is a pear-shaped, semi-tropical citrus fruit, having a bitter rind and a finely flavored pulp.

## REG'LAR FELLERS—High Price Talent



## RESCUED FROM "HELL-HOLE"

Though never reported by the Japanese as a captive, Maj. Gregory Boyington, leading U.S. Marines in the South Pacific, has been found in a prisoner-of-war camp near Yokohama. He was shot down over Rabaul late in 1943 after bagging his 26th Jap plane. "There never has been a 'hell-hole' here," said an official report on the camp where British and U.S. Marines found 600 Allied prisoners.

## Legend Of The Magnet

Principle Was First Discovered Many Centuries Ago

The story is told that many centuries ago, a little shepherd lad named Magnus was herding his sheep on Mount Ida. Suddenly he became aware that his feet and staff were stuck to the ground. Now all of us have been stuck in the mud, but here there was no mud. The boy stood on bare rock. It seems that he had walked onto a deposit of a mineral which attracts a magnet and attracted the nails in his boots and the iron ferris of his staff. This attractive mineral was called magnetite after the shepherd boy. While all magnetite will not act as a magnet and attract iron to it, nevertheless, all magnetite is attracted to a magnet. In the Royal Ontario Museum there is an exhibit of magnetite suspended over some small compasses, each a magnet, showing how the specimen affects the positions of the compass needles. This is a practical thing in the field when unwittingly a prospector or hunter, walks over a body of magnetite-bearing rock. His compass no longer points north and if the sun is not shining he may wander for some time before getting free of the influence of this "attractive" mineral.

## HUGE NUGGET

Heitman's nugget, a mass of gold mixed with rock, found in a reef at Hill End, New South Wales, Australia, in 1872, was valued at \$6,000,000 but would be worth nearly \$125,000,000 today. The whole mass of the nugget weighed 7,500 ounces.

The first automobile show was held in 1900 in the United States.

## Chicago Mansion

A Relic Of The Palmy Days Long Since Past

The Potter Palmer mansion on Lake Shore drive is to be torn down, suitably, it makes way for progress. But future generations would better understand the Chicago of the halcyon times when it was built if a scale model could be preserved in a museum.

For instance, it was not only a home but, as was the custom among the rich people of the period, it was also a sort of institution, a symbol of its master's wealth and its mistress' social precedence. It had the equipment of a restaurant. A hall a hundred guests could be, and often were, served at its dining-room table. Hundreds could and did dance in its ballroom. It had many of the features of a club or of a hotel.

As a sidelight on the help situation in 1932, the year it was built, there was no outside lock on any door, and only the inside doorknob turned. Even Mr. and Mrs. Palmer had to ring to get in. That was because at any hour, day or night, there was always a butler or a footman in attendance to answer the bell—Chicago Daily News.

## Rapid And Simple

United Kingdom Firm Using New High-Speed Welding Process

A novel process marking a new departure in high-speed welding has been developed by a United Kingdom firm. Its outstanding advantages are rapidity and simplicity of operation combined with one hundred per cent efficiency. The process constitutes a method of attaching studs or rods to steel structures by means of a gun, which shoots the studs into the molten metal formed in the steelwork. The apparatus is fully automatic and has the important advantage that the drilling and tapping needed in other welding operations are eliminated. It also dispenses with seal for watertightness since holes are not required in the plating—Ottawa Citizen.

## GREAT VOICE MISSING

The Toronto Globe and Mail said: There is something strange in the fact that when final peace was announced the voice of Churchill, one of the great figures during the prolonged warfare, was not heard by the world.

Although it is the oldest continent geologically, Australia was the last to be occupied by white men.

## Indian Head Dress

Dyed Eagle Feathers Belonged To The Prairie Indians Alone

With the opening up of the western prairies in the last century white pioneers came in contact with Indians wearing elaborate head-dresses of dyed eagle feathers. The idea of an Indian riding over the trackless prairie with a spectacular cascade of feathers streaming behind his head appealed to the imagination of the period. Fiction writers mentioned head-dresses and artists used them on calendars, in illustrations and the cigar store Indians of the last century are shown as if they were characteristic of all Indians. Needless to say, this was an error; they belonged to the Plains Indians and to them alone. No one could wear such a head-dress in the dense forests of the west coast or of Ontario.

However, the tradition of the head-dress got into history books and Indian children in all parts of North America "learned" that their forefathers used feathers—the white man said so, therefore it must be so. It was an easy step from this to the manufacture of feather head-dresses, often of chicken feathers, to satisfy the wishes of the tourist photographer or the needs of the pageant. So today one meets in all parts of the continent feather head-dresses often clumsily made. They are sad degenerations of the carefully manufactured and dyed headdresses of the Plains Indians, wherein each feather stood for a definite achievement according to rules of warfare that were as rigid as they were in the days of the tournaments of mediaeval times. In the Royal Ontario Museum there are examples of superb Plains head-dresses including one worn by Sitting Bull; in the Ontario gallery, a later specimen from Northern Ontario shows how the concept had spread, and the workmanship at the same time, become cruder.

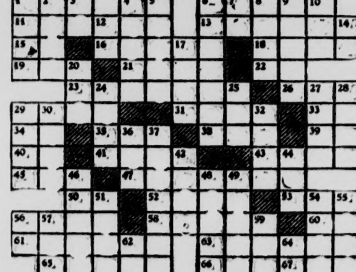
## VERY DIFFERENT NOW

Robert Cleaver in 1690 A.D. wrote: But there are four reasons why the woman is to go ahead. First, to come to holy meetings according to the duties of godliness. The second to visit such as stand in need, as the duties of love and charity doth require. The third, for employment and provision in household affairs committed to her charge. And lastly, to her husband, when he shall require her."

Buy War Savings Stamps regularly.

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## OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

### Amateur Night

— By —  
SETH BARITS

McClure Newspaper Syndicate

As the young colored couple left the Harlem theatre, Sam Jones gripped Susan Frank's arm. They strode up the avenue, battling the icy wind that swept up loose papers and created eddies of dust. Susan turned to Sam. "They sure were awful tonight, weren't they?" she asked in a voice soft with pity. "Real amateurs."

"Oh, they's all right," Sam allowed generously. "Some got some powerful voices. Like that girl who won the first prize. I coulda heard her if I was clean up Lenox Avenue."

"Yeah, she was loud enough, but that wasn't singing," he avowed that counts. Susan added sagely, "There's more to singing than yelling. If she can sing, I'm Ethel Waters. I bet I could do much better."

Sam's second sense told him some great idea was germinating within Susan's brain. Having formerly visited the waters of Susan's ambitions with disastrous results, Sam decided to avoid the shoals. But suddenly she said, "How'd you think I'd make out, Sam?"

Sam realized his peril. He immediately organized his forces to nip the bud of ambition. He remembered the time Susan entered the Lindy Hop contest with the most distressing results. "Not so good," he countered unhesitatingly. "No, I guess you just wouldn't make out."

Susan frowned. Her arm loosened within his. "You mean I can't sing that singer who won tonight is got a better voice than mine?" she asked doubtfully. "So you don't think I got a voice?"

"Listen, I ain't sayin' you ain't got some," he said.

"Yeah?"

"You ain't got voice enough to be a professional singer," he smiled at her benignly.

"Zat so?"

"What I mean is—er—"

"Well, if you ain't the bestest," Samuel Jones, I got a voice and I know it. I can sing twice as good as anyone on that program. My puppy used to say he'd heard me voice the mine."

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"This decided Sam, had gone just far enough. The moment had come when he must show his masculine supremacy. 'Nothin' doin', Susan. I want you to do that. I'm your heart and I got rights in this here. You go up there to make a holy spectacle of yourself. You'd get the bell the first minute. Or you'd be razed to death by them yowls you go on the balcony. No girl friend of mine is gonna do anything so crazy-like."

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Upon arriving at her home, Susan quickly ran up the stairs, never pausing once to give Sam a backward glance.

Although Sam, during the earlier part of the week, had felt that he could not go to watch Susan meet with fame or failure, he decided later that he would not let her see her heart across the footlights.

The theatre rocked and roared with the critical opinions of the audience. The first amateur, graciously allowed to go through his number, retired to a seat behind the screen to await

the final hour of judgment. Later, by means of applause, the winner of the contest would be chosen.

Amateur Number Two sang exactly four lines of Mother Macree when her efforts at vocalization were rudely interrupted. A carefully aimed hand of cobwebs just missed her left ear and landed with a pow upon the floor of the stage.

With much formality the Master of Ceremonies introduced Amateur Number Three. But his efforts at entertainment also met with disapproval.

Noisily the house settled back upon its haunches in preparation for the next victim.

Little pin pricks crawled up and down Sam's spine as the M.C. advanced to the microphone, guiding Susan by the hand. "And next—and next, ladies and gentlemen, we have the pleasure of hearing from Miss Susan Frank."

Susan gripped the rod of the microphone with her right hand and stared out at the sea of faces. The orchestra struck a chord. Susan's voice, husky and devoted, sang out, "My Lord, What A Mornin'!"

Then occurred a curious reaction on the part of the listeners. A hush of surprise at the type of song Susan had chosen swept over the hitherto clamoring audience like a tidal wave of silence.

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Sam, leaving, felt someone touch his shoulder. He turned to behold Susan beckoning to him. Warmth flooded their hearts, they were intoxicated at the joy of being together again.

As they turned the corner Susan gripped Sam's arm tighter and pulled him closer. "I guess I was a holy spectacle, eh, hon?" she said, her voice soft, husky.

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A COUNTRY EDITOR LOOKS AT OUR CANADA

Interesting item: When the Duke of Windsor was recently on a fishing trip in waters of the British Isles, he was told that he had been away with him something he wanted badly, the battered old Stinson had been a 20 year old, the Duke replaced it with a new one. Premier J. W. Jones of P.E.I. is proud owner of the Holstein, Abegweit Midway, which recently broke the world record for fastest duration in a 300 yard class. The 18-month daughter of Eldon Campbell's, Craik, Sask., wandered away lightly clad, and was found by a Mountie and party 21 hours later in a dry dough bed miles away, and is recovering. George Batley, Williams, Ont., district farmer, claims a record of three-thousand 650 bush of wheat from an eleven-acre field; so heavy binders couldn't shave the grain. Claude Manning, Chatham, Ont., farmer and his horses lost a battle with weeds in the orchard; all were stung and in the ensuing melee, Mr. Manning got serious cuts to his legs from the mower. Brown (Sask.) high school claims a remarkable record for exam results with 100% pass in grade 12 and 98% in grade 11. Found in Vancouver at Ketchikan, B.C., one after when millions of butterflies flying in a cloud mass formation passed over the town travelling northward they were all black with touches of red, and just like a plague of locusts.

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## IMPORTANT PORT

Singapore Is The Richest Centre In The Far East

Singapore, "The crossroads of the East," is the focal centre and most important port in the Far East. It lies on the principal trade route from Europe to the Far East and astride the shortest route to the South China Sea and to the Indian ocean. It handles a large volume of the trade to India, China, Japan, Australia, the United States, the United Kingdom and Europe, and has developed extensively as the principal shipping and transshipment port for the Malay Peninsula, Sumatra, French Indo-China, British Borneo, and much of the Netherlands East Indies. In peacetime it is a port of call for all important shipping lines trading between Europe and the Far East, with frequent regular sailings by all classes of ocean-going ships to and from Europe, China and Japan, and to a lesser degree Australia and America. It has frequent regular services of small ships of the coastal type to the ports of Malaya, the Netherlands East Indies, Borneo, Sumatra and nearby countries. Work on the great modern naval harbor, begun in 1924, was completed in 1938.

The ancient city on Singapore island was destroyed by the Javanese about 1365. The island remained waste until the present settlement was founded in 1819 by Sir Stamford Raffles, who leased the site on behalf of the East India Company from the Sultan of Johore, by whom the entire island was ceded to the British by the treaty of 1824. Sir Stamford Raffles, influenced by old histories, chose the natural centre to which he foresaw trade would flow from all corners of the world, and promised in 1820 that Singapore should become the pride of the East. The population, about a hundred and fifty years ago, was a few hundred natives, now over half a million. The development of Singapore has been due to British administration, financed by the East India Company.

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Cases Of Valuable Securities Stored In Canada During War

More than 1,000 heavily guarded cases containing millions of pounds of British securities which had been sent to Canada in 1940 for safekeeping were loaded at Montreal aboard the British light cruiser H.M.S. Leander recently.

Harbor police stopped all traffic along the waterfront where the ship was lying at an East End dock, and passes were necessary to get into the market-off area. Newspapermen were among those refused permission to approach the ship, with naval authorities saying that the movement was of a "confidential nature."

A large shipment of gold which came in 1940 also went to the Canadian Mint and to Fort Knox, Tenn. for storage.

The millions of pounds in securities were stored in a specially built vault in the Sun Life Building, Montreal, during the war. The vault was 10 feet below street level and was guarded by Royal Canadian Mounted Police officers.

### This Week's Pattern

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Shall look sweet and pretty in this button-thruster frock, Pattern 4759. Make one for school, one for parties, with panties to match.

Pattern 4759 comes in children's sizes 2, 4, 6 and 8. Size 6 frock, requires 1 1/2 yards 35-inch material; panties take 1/2 yard.

Send twenty cents (20c) in coin (stamps cannot be accepted) for this pattern. Write plainly Size, Name, Address and Style Number and send orders to the Anne Adams Pattern Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermott Ave. E., Winnipeg, Man.

Are Opening Again

Many Universities In Europe Were Closed During German Occupation

Europe's universities, most of which during the period of occupation were compulsorily closed down, are opening once again. In Holland, the Catholic University of Nijmegen has already resumed work, and the Free University of Amsterdam has started to enrol students. A great rally of Czechoslovak students marked the reopening of Prague and Brno; and four Italian universities are due to open again in the near future—Ottawa Citizen.

World's Largest Ship

As Troop Carrier The Queen Elizabeth Has Become Memorable

The two-funnelled Queen Elizabeth, the world's largest ship, has fourteen decks and is 1,021 feet in length. She was built in the John Brown shipyard, Clydebank, and had there not been a war she would have joined her companion ship, the Queen Mary, in the north Atlantic passenger service. In February of 1940 the Elizabeth, escorted by six tugs, left the Clyde and proceeded down the Clyde and shortly afterwards sailed for New York, arriving on March 7. Her troop-carrying missions have since become memorable.

Laid end to end, 250,000 of the smallest bacteria would measure only one inch.

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WHEN MEAT IS SHORT—MAKE A PIE! When meat is short and appetites are long, there's nothing better than a Meat Pie! This Beefsteak Pie helps two pounds of beef to stretch under a table of six—with generous helpings for all. And every hot, delicious slice has the full flavor of beef, topped with a crisp milklike bean pastry.

Beef Steak Pie

1 tablespoon Worcestershire sauce  
3 tablespoons chopped parsley  
2 1/2 cups hot water  
2 1/2 cups diced raw potatoes  
1 recipe Bran Pastry

Lightly brown steak and onions in fat. Stir in seasonings, parsley and flour; mix well. Add water, stirring constantly. Add potatoes; cover and simmer about 30 minutes. Pour into greased casserole. Cover with Bran Pastry. Prick with fork to show wedge-shape pieces. Bake in hot oven (400 degrees F.) about 20 minutes.

Yield: 6 servings (8 1/2-inch casserole).

Bran Pastry

1/2 cup bran  
1/2 cup sifted flour  
4 tablespoons cold water (more or less)

Crush bran into fine crumbs; combine with flour and salt. Cut in shortening. Add water, a little at a time, until dough is moist enough to hold together. Roll out on lightly floured board to about 1/4 inch in thickness.

## New Appraisal

John S. Knight Cables The Chicago Daily News From Tokyo

Since we have elected to keep the Emperor on the throne I think Gen. MacArthur should have a heart-to-heart talk with his colonial majesty about the standards of conduct we shall require so long as a single American soldier, sailor or marine is stationed in Japan.

Outwardly there is every sign of cooperation. There is no looting or much rule in Tokyo.

The word of the Emperor is supreme and these put-downs hissing letters bow to his will.

In my humble judgment, however, the long-range situation in Japan can be kept in hand only so long as we maintain an inflexible policy tempered with equity and justice. Don't catalogue the Japanese as quaint, picturesque little folk who dwell in an atmosphere of beautiful, clean, pleasant and silk-like elegance.

I have seen too much filth, smelted more than my share of that peculiar atmosphere of X-ray burns, was once used for its medicinal properties by American Indians.

Fluorescent Christmas tree lights in varied colors will make their best holiday season. Bigger than ordinary tree lights, the new bulbs are round and are designed to fit standard incandescents. Christmas lighting strikes. While when unlighted, they take on pastel tones when illuminated.

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## LOCAL NEWS

Work has commenced on the cellar for the new Atlas Lumber Co. dwelling to be constructed just west of Dr. W.G. Evans property.

F.O. Harold Burns, who recently received his discharge from the R.C.A.F., spent the week end at his home east of town.

A number of local fishermen were out over the week end to try their luck the last two days of the season, but trout fishermen report only fair luck. Those who went after grayling on the Red Deer, however, were more fortunate and returned with good catches.

The Senior Members of the W.A. will meet at the home of Mrs. W. Gilrie on Friday, October 5th, at 2:30 p.m.

Miss Flora Dixon, returned Missionary from Nigeria, spent a few days in Didsbury visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Falk, and renewing other acquaintances.

Walter Snyder has a potato that will beat the size of the spuds reported in the last issue of the Didsbury Pioneer. It is of the Mountain Rose variety and of excellent shape and weighed 2 pounds, 7 ounces. Can anyone beat this?

Mrs. W. Gen of Edmonton visited Monday with her brother, D. A. Lamont, and family.

Spr. M. W. Rathington of Didsbury was among the returning veterans arriving in Canada Sept. 29th.

Andrew Lawrence McRae, 73, died last Friday at Trochu. He was in Didsbury in 1904. Maybe one of the old timers will remember him.

Mrs. H. Lynch-Staunton spent Sunday visiting with her parents in Calgary.

—Builders' Hardware Special 15-plate Storage Battery is a good buy at \$7.95.

Sid Gilson, H. Lynch-Staunton, Art Reiber and Chris Flannagan took in the Lions Club zone meeting at Strathmore Sunday.

E.G. Ranton had a letter last week from Harold Tonjum, who is now living at Asklund, Norway. Mr. Tonjum lived in Didsbury for a number of years and was connected with the North End Lumber Yard.

The Harvey Burgess family have moved into their new house in the south part of town, and the Arnold Sherick family are moving into the house previously occupied by the Burgess family.

—Endless Drive Belts in stock at the Builders' Hardware.

Mr. and Mrs. W.A. McInnis arrived this week from High River and expect to make their home here in future.

Miss Betty Barnett of the Selective Service branch, Drumheller, returned Monday after spending the past week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W.D. Spence.

Mrs. Callie (nee Barbara Spence) left Monday to visit with her husband's parents at Macleod.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Neufeld of Hartmann on Sunday, September 30, a girl.

Harold E. Oke has had a new cement walk put in front of his place of business.

Mrs. Mort Ronjén and son Bert of Elkton spent the past week with Mrs. Adam Kouschuh of Didsbury.

United Church Services, October 7

Thanksgiving Sunday — Special Thanksgiving services will be held on Sunday at 11:00 a.m. at Westcott, and at 7:30 p.m. at Didsbury. Gifts of vegetables, fruits and flowers brought to the church will be given to the hospital.

Rev. D. Whyte Smith, minister

EVANGELICAL CHURCH NOTES

Sunday, October 7th is World-Wide Communion Sunday. In common with Christians all over the world we will remember Christ's sacrifice for us upon the cross at a communion service which will be held at 10:30 a.m. Sunday school will be held at 11:30 a.m., and at Jutland at 2 p.m.

A Harvest Home Service and a Communion Service will be held at Jutland at 8 p.m.

The Women's Missionary Society is holding a Talent Hour at 7:45 p.m. A pleasant "If I Be Lifted Up" will be presented. The offering will go for conference missions. A cordial welcome awaits you at all these services.

E.G. Ranton has put a new awning on the front of his store and says that he now has the best awning in town.

Jack Hall of Medicine Hat is relieving agent at the Atlas Lumber Co. Ltd in Didsbury while the local manager, Jake Glaum is on holiday.

Cpl. Leonard Berscht, who has been on furlough for the past few weeks, has obtained his release from the RCAF.

Mrs. Alfred Alcock and daughters Shirley and Phyllis of Brooks are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Gilmore.

## NOTES FROM THE EAST

The W.I. meeting for this month has been postponed on account of harvesting operations being in full swing.

Mr. and Mrs. Idris Jenkins and baby are spending the week end with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bittner and family, and Sqdn. Leader Lewis Spragg, spent Sunday evening visiting at the Jenkins' home.

Mr. Pat Spragg and Louis Spragg spent Wednesday in Calgary visiting with the former's wife.

Miss Una Jenkins has accepted a position in the dining room of the Didsbury Hotel.

The neighbors of Burnside and Jutland districts wish to say welcome home to all those boys and girls who have been returning from service overseas. We are glad to have you all home again.

Once again we are preparing to commence threshing operations. So let's keep our fingers crossed. Wonder what the weather man's plans are for the next month.

Edith O'Brien has been visiting his sister Mrs. Harold Shells, and hopes to get some threshing before long.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Shells and Ralph Odden motored to Rockyford to spend Sunday visiting Mr. Shells' sister and family. Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Cunniff.

Flying Officer Lloyd Jenkins is receiving his discharge and is expected home this week from Moncton, N.B. It is to be hoped Lloyd will arrive in time to attend his brother Bill's wedding which is to be on Wednesday, October 3rd.

Whenever Fred Metz hears of a wedding or an engagement he says, "The Love Bug is Around Again". Well if that's the case, the Jutland and Burnside districts has several "love bugs" around, or maybe several have been bitten, because there is another wedding. Lloyd Cunniff's sister, who is to be married in Calgary this week.

## HARMATTAN NEWS NOTES

Mr. H.H. Gilmore is now residing with his wife and two children at Ladder, B.C., and we are glad to hear that his health is greatly improved.

Janet Naismith and Raymond E. Smith of Medicine Hat and Didsbury, were married on September 29th at the home of her brother. They will make their home in the Harmattan district.

Mr. Jim Fred has left for Kimberley, B.C. He will be followed later by his wife and family.

Harmattan school has two new teachers, Miss Mr. Sheepee for the senior room, and Miss Ulan for the junior room.

Mr. William Hamilton is back after being under doctor's care in Calgary and Banff for some time.

Miss Ulan is organizing grades four, five and six into a "tonette band".

## ANNOUNCEMENT

BY THE SHUR-GAIN FEED SERVICE

## The Pre-War Standard of the famous SHUR-GAIN "BIG 50" EGG PRODUCING SUPPLEMENT

is now back on the market. Now is the time to get your poultry on the production line with "BIG 50".

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FOR SALE—Folding Wash Bench with wringer; Bungalow Bed and Mattress (nearly new) single.—Apply to Mrs. N. Nowak. 1c

FOR SALE—One second hand Furnace; One Coil Bed Springs; One Used Mattress; Two New Mattresses.—Phone 36. J. V. Berscht & Sons, Didsbury. 1c

WANTED—Man for general farm work. Good Wages. Steady job if suitable.—G.C. Leeson, phone 412 Didsbury. 2c

FOR SALE—Three-year-old South-down Ram, purchased—not registered.—Burns Bros., phone 503. 1c

FOR SALE—Ladies' black winter coat with fur collar. Almost new, size 16. Can be seen at the Pioneer office. 1tn

EXCHANGE—Calga residence to exchange for local residence on rental basis, for the winter. Apply to Mary Eversden, Builders' Hardware Store, Didsbury. 1c

FOR SALE—Brown Caracul Coat, size 34 or 36, fox collar. Phone 141, Didsbury. 1c

FOR SALE—The Pioneer Grain Co. offers for sale as it stands, No. 1 Annex, size 30x50x20. See the agent at Didsbury. 1c

FARMERS—Are you interested in Yorkshire Hog Breeding Stock? Have you the feed but not the ready cash to not started? How many Yorkshire Bred Gilts for Spring farrowing could you handle on your farm at no actual cost to yourself. Also will sell for cash. If interested write Box AZ, Didsbury Pioneer, giving the location of your farm.

FOR SALE—Bell Piano. May be seen at E.T. Wiggins home. 1c

—Strayed—7 head of paid feed calves, about two weeks ago, 2 red and white, 2 black, rest black and white. Any information as to the whereabouts please notify L.W. Krebs or phone 1813. 38 3p

## LONG YEARS AGO

October 2, 1903

The first annual fall fair Didsbury has ever known is over and we are proud of our town. The exhibits were numerous and were displayed in the Liecemer and Sturder hall.

Dr. Lackner has had a surveyor at work staking his land into lots.

Nearly all the grain has been cut. Some farmers are talking of stacking their barley.

An addition to the livery stable has been completed. This addition makes it one of the largest and best north of Calgary.

At the annual meeting of the Didsbury Board of Trade Dr. Lackner was elected president, and Jos. Stauffer vice president.

Quite a number of land seekers are coming in daily and grabbing up a quarter or so.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Two Letters to the Editor had to be held over this week owing to lack of space, but will appear in our next issue.

## Ranton's

WEEKLY STORE  
:: NEWS ::

We Did Not Forget

THE BABIES

Night Gowns, Slippers, Fur Trim House Slippers, Bonnets for Girls; Wool Hats for the boys; Baby Bibbs; Kimona Sets; Scarf and Mitt Sets; Chenille Carriage Sets; Baby Tams; Baby Blankets; Baby Mitts; Rubber Panties.

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